DEPARTMENT OF VETERANS AFFAIRS

[OMB Control No. 2900-0090]

Agency Information Collection (Application for Voluntary Service VA Form 10-7055 and Associated Internet Application)

AGENCY: Veterans Health Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: In compliance with the Paperwork Reduction Act (PRA) of 1995 (44 U.S.C. 3501-3521), this notice announces that the Veterans Health Administration (VHA), Department of Veterans Affairs, will submit the collection of information abstracted below to the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for review and comment. The PRA submission describes the nature of the information collection and its expected cost and burden and includes the actual data collection instrument.

DATES: Written comments and recommendations on the proposed collection of information should be received on or before [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: Submit written comments on the collection of information through www.Regulations.gov, or to Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attn: VA Desk Officer; 725 17th St. NW., Washington, DC

20503 or sent through electronic mail to oira_submission@omb.eop.gov. Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900–0090 (Application for Voluntary Service VA Form 10-7055 and Associated Internet Application)" in any correspondence. During the comment period, comments may be viewed online through the FDMS.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Crystal Rennie, Enterprise Records Service (005R1B), Department of Veterans Affairs, 810 Vermont Avenue NW, Washington, DC 20420, (202) 632–7492 or email crystal.rennie@va.gov. Please refer to "OMB Control No. 2900–0090" in any correspondence.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Under the PRA of 1995 (Public Law 104-13; 44 U.S.C. 3501 – 3521), Federal agencies must obtain approval from the Office of Management and Budget (OMB) for each collection of information they conduct or sponsor. This request for comment is being made pursuant to Section 3506(c)(2)(A) of the PRA.

With respect to the following collection of information, VHA invites comments on: (1) whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of VHA's functions, including whether the information will have practical utility; (2) the accuracy of VHA's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information; (3) ways to enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and (4) ways to minimize the burden of the collection of information on respondents, including

through the use of automated collection techniques or the use of other forms of

information technology.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Titles: Application for Voluntary Service VA Form 10-7055 and Associated Internet

Application.

OMB Control Number: 2900-0900, (Application for Voluntary Service VA Form 10-7055

and Associated Internet Application).

Type of Review: Revision.

Abstract: This application (VA Form 10-7055 and the associated web form) will be

here-in-after referred to as the form. The form is used to assist personnel of volunteer

organizations, which recruit volunteers from their membership, and the Department of

Veterans Affairs (VA) in the selection, screening and placement of volunteers in the

nationwide VA Voluntary Service program. The volunteer program supplements the

medical care and treatment of veteran patients in all VA medical centers. This form is

necessary to assist in determining the suitability and placement of potential volunteers.

The information is collected under the authority of 38 U.S.C. 7405(a)

Affected Public: Individuals or Households.

Estimated Annual Burden: 8,000 burden hours.

Estimated Average Burden Per Respondent: 15 minutes.

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Frequency of Response: Annually.

Estimated Number of Respondents: 32,000.

By direction of the Secretary.

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